## Not sure what that means?

Unsure how to answer certain FPDS-NG questions?

Try the Help button, check the FAR, or ask your Contracting Officer or policy office.

#### What should I do?

- Run the Individual Data Item Oversight
   Tracking Report to make sure all contract actions have a FPDS-NG entry.
- Enter your data at the same time you issue the contract or modification

### **DID YOU KNOW..?**

...that a vendor's size is based on the vendor as it was at the time of the award, unless there has been a rerepresentation, non-novated acquisition or merger, or novation?

...if you are buying on behalf of another agency you **MUST** enter that agency's funding agency id?

...that each time you enter a modification you should restate the purpose of the contract in the description of requirement field along with information about the purpose of the modification?

# **FPDS-NG INFO**

## **COMPETITION CHANGES – What's the CLOD?**

<u>Competition Changes</u>: Scheduled for an October 31 implementation, the changes include the following:

- Users will now only address Fair Opportunity on Orders that reference a multiple award IDV- they will not answer Extent Competed post-CLOD
- Orders referencing a single award IDV will not address competition questions at all post CLOD
- Reason Not Competed becomes Other than Full and Open Competition
- Brand Name Description is a new entry under Other than Full and Open Competition
- The Other than Full and Open Competition entries Directed to JWOD and UNICOR will be mapped to Authorized by Statute
- The Extent Competed entries of Competed under SAP and Not Competed under SAP can be used in conjunction with the Type of Set Aside field
- Buy Indian can only be used by HHS and DOI
- DoD starts using Competed under SAP and Not Competed under SAP post CLOD

Actions with a date signed prior to the CLOD will have to address extent competed as they do today but the field will be required on all new awards\IDVs.

The **CLOD** is the competition line of demarcation and it is October 31. Anything entered with a date signed after October 31 (the CLOD) will experience the differences described above when entering delivery\task order information.

A new competition report called the 'Competition Based on Obligations' report will also be available. The old Competition report will still be available as well.

Want specifics? Go to <a href="www.fpdsng.com">www.fpdsng.com</a> under the Status section for information on all the competition changes.

### **RECOVERY**

All Recovery Act actions reported to FPDS-NG must have the recovery treasury account symbol in the Description of Requirement field. You must use the following format when entering the treasury account symbol: TAS::XX XXXX::TAS if you are not using the optional sub-account code or TAS::XX XXXX XXXX::TAS if you are using the optional sub-account code. If you do NOT use the format, your action will NOT be considered a Recovery action. PLEASE make sure you are using the correct format.

A report is run every day and posted on the https:\\www.fpds.gov website by noon of all recovery report actions in FPDS-NG. Agencies must review this report daily to ensure actions are reported and information is correct and complete.